# Sierra Club - John Muir Chapter

# Legislative Bills/Resolutions

## **Assembly Bill 3**

Relating to: restrictions on the use and sale of fertilizer containing phosphorus and other turf fertilizer and providing a penalty.

## 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/2/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 9

## **Assembly Bill 7**

Relating to: designating a portion of the Brunsweiler River as a wild river.



Original Reporting Date: 3/14/2009

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 43**

Relating to: designating portions of the Totogatic River as a wild river.



Original Reporting Date: 3/14/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 32

#### **Assembly Bill 63**

Relating to: the scope of regulated activity under the campaign finance law.

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 6/25/2009

Bill Text and History

#### **Assembly Bill 65**

Relating to: public financing of campaigns for the office of justice of the supreme court, making appropriations, and providing penalties.

# 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 6/3/2009

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 88**

Relating to: allowing electric utilities and retail electric cooperatives to include energy derived from garbage and certain waste in satisfying renewable portfolio standards.

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 3/17/2009

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 114**

Relating to: open burning of solid waste, illegal storage or disposal of waste tires, and providing a penalty.

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/17/2009

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 138**

Relating to: the appointment and term of service of the secretary of natural resources and vacancies on the Natural Resources Board.

## 🕆 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/14/2009

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 139**

Relating to: littering and providing a penalty.

## T For

Original Reporting Date: 6/25/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 368

## **Assembly Bill 205**

Relating to: adopting changes to the Internal Revenue Code for state income tax purposes related to deductions for energy efficient commercial buildings.

Original Reporting Date: 5/12/2009

Bill Text and History

## Assembly Bill 256

Relating to: regulation of wind energy systems and granting rule-making authority.



Original Reporting Date: 5/12/2009



## Assembly Bill 258

Relating to: the disposal of used automotive engine oil filters and oil absorbent materials and providing a penalty.



Original Reporting Date: 6/25/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 86

### Assembly Bill 278

Relating to: the sale, disposal, collection, and recycling of electronic devices, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation, and providing

# 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 6/3/2009

Bill Text and History

#### **Assembly Bill 281**

Relating to: the restriction on the amount of phosphorus in certain cleaning

# 🕆 For

Original Reporting Date: 6/3/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 63

## Assembly Bill 282

Relating to: the creation of regional transit authorities and making appropriations.

## TFor

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2010

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 299**

Relating to: products containing mercury and granting rule-making authority.

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 6/25/2009

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 314**

Relating to: pesticide use by railroads, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.



Original Reporting Date: 3/10/2010

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 286

### **Assembly Bill 360**

Relating to: discharges of ballast water and related substances into the waters of the state, aquatic nuisance species, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 9/1/2009

Bill Text and History

#### Assembly Bill 372

Relating to: the disposal of solid waste from a household on the property where it is generated.

## 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 9/8/2009

Bill Text and History

## Assembly Bill 401

Relating to: creation of renewable resource credits by electric providers and granting rule-making authority.

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 9/15/2009

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 405**

Relating to: prohibiting the manufacture and sale of bottles and cups for children that contain bisphenol A, creating labeling requirements, making an appropriation, and providing a penalty.

## 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 10/27/2009

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 475**

Relating to: prohibiting privatization of certain municipal water utilities.

# TFor

Original Reporting Date: 3/22/2010

Bill Text and History

## Assembly Bill 504

Relating to: a MIwaukee County sales and use taxfor parks, recreation, and culture.



Original Reporting Date: 1/15/2010



#### Assembly Bill 516

Relating to: requirements for approval of construction of nuclear power plants.



Bill Text and History

### Assembly Bill 578

Relating to: healthy and environmentally sensitive cleaning in certain buildings, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

# 🕆 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/10/2010

Bill Text and History

#### **Assembly Bill 649**

Relating to: goals for reductions in greenhouse gas emissions, for construction of zero net energy buildings and for energy conservation; information, analyses, reports, education, and training concerning greenhouse 🔒 Bill Text and History gas emissions and climate change; energy...

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 1/15/2010

## **Assembly Bill 723**

Relating to: the southeastern regional transit authority, the creation of interim regional transit authorities in southeast Wisconsin, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2010

Bill Text and History

#### Assembly Bill 734

Relating to: the creation of a Fox Cities regional transit authority.

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2010

Bill Text and History

#### **Assembly Bill 755**

Relating to: allowing certain utilities to administer investment programs for energy efficiency improvements and renewable energy applications, creating requirements for political subdivision loans for similar improvements and applications, providing an ex...

## Other

Original Reporting Date: 3/10/2010

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 791**

Relating to: the creation of a La Crosse County regional transit authority.

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/8/2010

Bill Text and History

# Assembly Bill 843

Relating to: energy conservation standards for the construction of certain buildings, energy and environmental design standards for state buildings, structures, and facilities, energy and environmental design standards for school district facilities and ot ...

## 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/23/2010

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 844**

Relating to: groundwater management, water conservation, and granting rulemaking authority.

## 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/22/2010

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 849**

Relating to: creating a public intervenor in the Department of Justice and making an appropriation.

## 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 4/14/2010

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 852**

Relating to: general permits for certain wetland restoration activities and providing a penalty.

## 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 4/14/2010

Bill Text and History

## Assembly Bill 860

Relating to: the appointment of members of the governing body of a political subdivision to a transit authority board of directors.

### 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 4/14/2010

Bill Text and History

## Assembly Bill 876

Relating to: expanding the authority of political subdivisions to make



residential energy efficiency improvement loans, and authorizing political subdivisions to make water efficiency improvement loans and impose special last Bill Text and History charges for the loans.

Uniginal reporting Date. 4/14/2010

## Assembly Bill 904

Relating to: loans to manufacturing businesses for energy improvements, job creation, retooling, or clean energy production; the administration of energy utility programs; providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures; requiring the exercise of eme...

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 4/14/2010

Bill Text and History

#### **Assembly Bill 920**

Relating to: requiring the Department of Transportation to study the feasibility of a passenger rail stop in the city of Waterloo.

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 4/14/2010

Bill Text and History

#### **Assembly Bill 926**

Relating to: creating the Department of Environmental Quality and transferring some of the authority and duties of the Department of Natural Resources to the Department of Environmental Quality and to the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Prote...

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 4/14/2010

Bill Text and History

#### **Assembly Bill 960**

Relating to: requiring that certain rail passenger service extension projects be enumerated by the legislature.

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 4/17/2010

Bill Text and History

#### Senate Bill 5

Relating to: restrictions on the use and sale of fertilizer containing phosphorus and other turf fertilizer and providing a penalty.

## 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/21/2009

Bill Text and History

#### Senate Bill 6

Relating to: designating a portion of the Brunsweiler River as a wild river.

# 🕝 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/4/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 7

## Senate Bill 40

Relating to: public financing of campaigns for the office of justice of the supreme court, making appropriations, and providing penalties.

# 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 6/3/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 89

### Senate Bill 43

Relating to: the scope of regulated activity under the campaign finance law.

## 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 6/25/2009

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 47

Relating to: designating portions of the Totogatic River as a wild river.

## 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/21/2009

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 107

Relating to: the sale, disposal, collection, and recycling of electronic devices, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation, and providing

## 👕 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/17/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 50

#### Senate Bill 113

Relating to: the appointment and term of service of the secretary of natural resources and vacancies on the Natural Resources Board.



Original Reporting Date: 8/6/2009

#### Senate Bill 119

Relating to: open burning of solid waste, illegal storage or disposal of waste tires, and providing a penalty.



Original Reporting Date: 10/13/2009

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 126

Relating to: changes to and extension of the Environmental Results Program, extension of the Environmental Improvement Program and the length of a compliance schedule under that program, and reporting requirements for certain environmental programs.

# Other

Original Reporting Date: 4/16/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 30

#### Senate Bill 139

Relating to: environmental regulation of mining and notice to transferees of interests in mining sites.



Original Reporting Date: 6/25/2009

Bill Text and History

#### Senate Bill 185

Relating to: regulation of wind energy systems and granting rule-making authority.



Original Reporting Date: 5/12/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 40

#### Senate Bill 200

Relating to: products containing mercury and granting rule-making authority.



Original Reporting Date: 8/6/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 44

#### Senate Bill 205

Relating to: the creation of regional transit authorities and making appropriations.

## 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 8/6/2009

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 264

Relating to: trespass by operators of snowmobiles, all-terrain vehicles, and other off-road vehicles.

## 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 10/29/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 252

## Senate Bill 266

Relating to: creating a Nonmotorized Recreation and Transportation Trails Council.

# 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 10/29/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 394

## Senate Bill 271

Relating to: prohibiting the manufacture and sale at wholesale of certain baby bottles and cups for children that contain bisphenol A creating labeling requirements, making an appropriation, and providing penalties.

## 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 9/2/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 145

## Senate Bill 273

Relating to: creation of renewable resource credits by electric providers and granting rule-making authority.

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 9/15/2009

Bill Text and History

2009 Wisconsin Act 406

## Senate Bill 340

Relating to: requirements for approval of construction of nuclear power plants.



Original Reporting Date: 10/27/2009

Relating to: prohibiting the installation, sale, and distribution of wheel weights and other wheel balancing products that contain lead.

Original Reporting Date: 10/29/2009

Bill Text and History

#### Senate Bill 450

Relating to: goals for reductions in greenhouse gas emissions, for construction of zero net energy buildings and for energy conservation; information, analyses, reports, education, and training concerning greenhouse 🖟 Bill Text and History gas emissions and climate change; energy...



Original Reporting Date: 1/15/2010

#### Senate Bill 511

Relating to: the southeastern regional transit authority, the creation of interim regional transit authorities in southeast Wisconsin, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.



Original Reporting Date: 2/7/2010

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 616

Relating to: energy conservation standards for the construction of certain buildings, energy and environmental design standards for state buildings, structures, and facilities, energy and environmental design standards for school district facilities and ot...



Original Reporting Date: 4/30/2010

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 620

Relating to: groundwater management, water conservation, and granting rulemaking authority.

# 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/22/2010

Bill Text and History

#### Senate Bill 632

Relating to: control of nonpoint source water pollution in certain areas with carbonate bedrock and granting rule-making authority.



Original Reporting Date: 3/22/2010

Bill Text and History

# **Budget Bill Subjects**

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Natural Resources: Air, Waste and Contaminated Land

Original Reporting Date: 3/17/2009

Comments (1)

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to **Natural Resources: Water Quality** 

Original Reporting Date: 3/17/2009

Comments 🕣

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to **Transportation: Local Transportation Aid** 

Original Reporting Date: 4/6/2009

Comments

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

**Transportation: Local Transportation Projects** 

Original Reporting Date: 4/6/2009

Comments (1)



Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

**Transportation: Transportation Finance** 

Original Reporting Date: 4/6/2009

Comments (1)

# **Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings**

Natural Resources

NR 115 - Wisconsin's Shoreland Management Program.

Register Number: 548 (9/1/2001) Clearinghouse Rule: CR 05-058



# **Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number**

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

A proposal for increased Focus on Energy investments in energy efficiency as recommended by the Public Service Commission.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 12/15/2010

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Revisions to NR 102 and NR 217 related to phosphorus water quality standards criteria.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 7/2/2010

Comments

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Evaluation of the Livestock Siting Rule, ATCP 51

Action Intended To Affect: Rule (by a state agency)

Reporting Date: 2/16/2010

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

LRB 2740/2 relates to offering loans to promote energy efficiency and renewable investment. Sierra Club does not support portions of this proposal that allow energy efficiency to count towards Wisconsin's RPS.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 2/7/2010

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Opposing modification of the moratorium on construction of new nuclear plants contained in Section 196.493, Wisc. Stats.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 10/24/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal related to increasing protections for drinking water in karst areas and increasing restrictions on waste spreading.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 8/6/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Development, drafting, or introduction of a proposal relating to regulating

groundwater withdrawls.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 8/6/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

LRB 2962/2, relating to the definition of renewable energy used toward the Renewable Portfolio Standard

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 8/6/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Relating to: prohibiting the manufacture and sale of bottles and cups for children that contain bisphenol A, creating labeling requirements, making an appropriation, and providing a penalty.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 7/15/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Air regulations, emissions

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 1/22/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Clean water, Protection of the Great Lakes, Non-Point pollution

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 1/22/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Energy efficiency, carbon free economy

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/22/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Global Warming, reducing carbon emissions Governor's Task Force on Global

Warming

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 1/22/2009

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

NR 428, NOx RACT control measures for 8-hour ozone standard

Action Intended To Affect: Rule (by a state agency)

Reporting Date: 1/22/2009